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Notice.

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JAMES C. PREVOST,

aug12 1m Receiver.

Notice

NOTICE is hereby given, that the undersigned intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a public highway in South Saanich, commencing at section line of section three (3) following section line to northwest corner of section one (1) South Saanich.

RICHARD JOHNS,
GEORGE HARRISON,
S. G. HARRISON,
W. HARRISON.

Victoria, Aug. 4, 1885. aug

Notice.

CREDITORS of Augustus Langford Brown late of Happy Valley, Metchosin District deceased, are requested to send their accounts to the undersigned.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Barrister-at-Law,
Langley street, Victoria.

August 5, 1885. aug5

Change of Business Notice.

HAVING transferred the Real Estate business; corner Yates and Broad streets, to C. D. Rand, we shall in future conduct a general Shipping, Commission and Manufacturers' Agency business. We will open a Warehouse shortly, when we will have superior facilities for carrying on the above business. Advertisement in a few days.

A. R. MAIN & Co.

aug13 tf

Victoria Journal of Commerce.

I HAVE this day severed all connection with the above paper, and will not be responsible for any liabilities of said paper, or for any debts contracted by J. Colver or C. H. King in connection with the above publication. A. R. MAIN

Victoria, August 10, 1885. aug13

Notice.

THE Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Company.—The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Company will be held at the Company's Office, Victoria, on Wednesday, 7th day of October next, for the purpose of receiving the report of the Directors, electing the Directors thereof for the ensuing year, and transacting the general business of the Company.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Secretary pro tem.

Dated Victoria, August 24, 1885. aug24 td

Notice

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned as Chemists and Druggists has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Langley assumes all the assets and liabilities of the late firm.

Victoria, September 5th, 1885.

A. J. LANGLEY.
H. L. JONES.

Wit: J. Roland Hett, Barrister-at-Law. se10

Notice

I HEREBY give notice that I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tracts of land situate on Fulford Harbour, Salt Spring Island, containing forty acres more or less.

WILLIAM HAMEN.

September 9, 1885 sept9 2m

NOTICE.

DURING my absence in the East I have given Power of Attorney to Edward T. Garrett to act for me in my business.

A. W. LAWSON.

September 7, 1885. sept 8w

WANTED

ADVERTISEMENTS under this head, three insertions, 50 cents; six insertions, 75 cents.

WANTED—A young man, with good references as to character, wishes to get employment. Address "J.," TIMES office. ae16 2t

WANTED—An American lady desires a position of sewing by the day or week. Understands running machines. Address H. D., TIMES office. se15 1t

WANTED—A situation as Cook or Housekeeper, or could act as first-class reference. Address "R," TIMES office. se17 2t

WANTED—Vestmakers and finishers on pants. Apply immediately at Levi the Tailor. sep16 6t

WANTED—A situation as general servant or to assist in housework in a small family. Address "A. B., TIMES office. se15 3t

WANTED.—A young man, lately from England, wishes employment as waiter or under cook or at any general work. Address "Work," THE TIMES office. sept4 3t

WANTED—A partner with $500 or $600 capital, to join a dairy farm near the city. For further information apply at the TIMES office. sep19 6t

WANTED.—Wanted by a lady engaged during the day, a home in a private family. Must be near town. Apply by letter to "Bet," TIMES office. sep12

WANTED—A man with a family to rent for a term of years a farm on the Lower Fraser. House, farm and 200 acres fenced. Address W. G., TIMES office. july30

WANTED—A woman to cook and do general housework in a small, respectable family. Apply at THE TIMES office. sep11 tf

WANTED.—Wanted immediately, a good Coatmaker also a Pantsmaker. Steady work at regular prices. Address "S. T." New Westminster. sep11 tf

WANTED—Five hundred new subscribers for the DAILY TIMES, which will be delivered at their residences for 25 cents per week.

Board and Lodging.

THE undersigned having opened a first-class Boarding and Lodging House, begs to inform the public that she has accommodation for a limited number of persons. MRS. J. RING, Douglas street, between Johnson and Yates (formerly McKeon House.) aug3 tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE.—For sale or to let, a most desirable business location, being the new building situated between Captain Howard's and the Globe Hotel, Esquimalt. Property fronts on Wharf street, and rear faces the Dry Dock. For further particulars, apply at THE TIMES office. se9 7m

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FOR RENT.

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LOST.

LOST.—A brown and white bitch, with the end of its tail cut off. She answers to the name of "Minnie." A reward will be given for her recovery. Leave at Royal Hotel. sept7 6t

$5 REWARD—Lost, last night, on Pemberton street, a Gold Bracelet. Any one finding the same will be suitably rewarded by leaving it at TIMES office se8 tf

MEETINGS.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMPERANCE Hall every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 8 o'clock precisely. HENRY RUDGE, President.

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Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 480 acres of land, situate at Bonilla Channel, New Westminster District, described as follows:

Commencing at a stake marked W. J. Lewis' northwest corner; thence east 80 chains, thence south 60 chains; thence west 80 chains, thence north 15 chains to the shore line of Laura Cove, thence following the shore line to point of commencement.

WM. LEWIS.

Dec21aw 2m

Notice.

IS HEREBY given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land situate in Salmon River Valley and described as follows, viz.: Commencing at the S E corner of C. Irving's claim on the bank of the Memekay river, thence west 80 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, more or less, to the bank of Memekay river, thence following the bank of said river to point of commencement.

J. H. RANSDELL.

Victoria, B.C., August 4, 1885. aug4 sw

RAILWAY EQUIPMENT.

A Glance at the Magnificent Carriages of the C. P. Railway.

Elegance and Beauty of the Sleeping and Dining Cars.

A leading American railway journal, says of the Canadian Pacific Railway, that it will be literally a transcontinental line from ocean to ocean, will be independent of connections and private corporations in the matter of sleeping, dining and express cars. On most railways there is a convenience to the public in having sleeping cars, for example, owned by a special organization, run over the lines in connection with other roads. Were it not for this public accommodation many of our great companies would own and run their sleepers and endeavor to save to the stockholders the profits which they now pay to outsiders. One of the Trunk lines indeed—the Baltimore & Ohio—has for some years been operating its sleepers independently and reports profitable results. In the case of the Canadian Pacific, certainly there seems to be no obstacle whatever in the way of this independence and its managers are evidently determined to demonstrate that a great trunk railway can provide and manage its equipment of all kinds as well as any outside companies can do it for them, and considerably cheaper. A chance examination at Montreal a few days ago of some of the standard

SLEEPING AND DINING CARS

of this company surprised the writer with their elegance and beauty. These cars are long and well proportioned, and they as well as the dining cars and coaches, are finished outside entirely with polished mahogany—the king of woods, which gives them an extremely rich and finished appearance. A house sided up with solid mahogany would be considered an extravagance for a millionaire, but the humblest passenger on the Canadian Pacific can have the luxury of sitting, eating and sleeping in a moving house of this description. The interior finish is also of mahogany beautifully shaped, carved and fitted. On the panels of the berths, the ends of the seats and over the windows are rich and artistic ornaments of "old brass;" the seats are covered with rich plush, the carpets are heavy wilton, the berth curtains and coverings are of the finest material; the light at night is shed from five pairs of large ornamental lamps, and by day the sunlight streams with mellow rays through transoms filled with richly colored venetian glass. Each car has a large smoking room and state room, the latter furnished with its own lavatory, above which a door, covered by a large plate glass mirror, can be opened inward when desired, to give ventilation and a view from the end windows. In every respect

COMFORT AND LUXURY ARE PROVIDED FOR,

apparently regardless of expense, in these magnificent sleeping cars, of which about eighty will be required when the great transcontinental line is in operation next spring. The sleepers are called after stations along the line, many of which have romantically sounding Indian names—such as Calumet, Ottawa, Mattawa, Kamministiquia, Wabigoon, Winnipeg, Moosomin, Kamloops, etc., and suggestive English names, like Red Jacket, Moose Jaw, Medicine Hat, Swift Current, etc., forming a liberal vocabulary from which to select. The dining cars which are to comfort the inner man during the long journeys through regions where first-class hotels will for many years be unknown, are also marvels of luxury and adornment, with their carved mahogany interiors, old brass ornaments, carved seats covered with heavily stamped leather, broad mahogany tables to which electric bells will summon attendance, abundant lamps, large mirrors, stained glass transoms and windows draped with rich hangings, decorated with innumerable colored glass jewels which glitter in the sunlight, and which, it is to be feared, will form irresistible temptations to those lovers of gorgeous colors, the red man of the wilderness and his bracelet-decorated wife. The kitchen is unusually large and convenient, finished handsomely in cherry, and supplied with a capacious range and every appliance for cooking and serving meals. In short, these cars are

EQUAL IN ELEGANCE AND COMPLETENESS

to any seen in the United States, and this is sufficient praise. They are suggestively named after British palaces, as Sandringham, Holyrood, Balmoral, Marlborough, etc. There is something almost marvelous in the idea of these cars, fitted up like the abodes of royalty and each costing a small fortune, being built to traverse the wilderness of the far Northwest into which the light of civilization has only just begun to gleam, and to offer their luxurious accommodations to the roughest trapper of the Hudson's Bay company as freely as to the aristocratic tourist. But the railway is the great leveler, and the great distributor of the luxuries of life without distinction of person.

French and English Vice Compared.

The New York Mail and Express special from London says: Max O'Rell's latest book has at length appeared in Paris. In this new work, "Chers Voisins," the author takes up the jealousies and misunderstandings which are current between the people of these two nations, and attempts to account for them. An extremely interesting part of the book at the time is the author's comparison of the vices of England with those of France. If a choice must be made between the two forms of vice, he prefers the vice of Paris to that of London. He says that the former has preserved a certain cleanliness and gaiety which prevent it becoming hideous. It is the vice of the bonhomme. That of London, he says is sombre, sad and ugly, and of a criminal tone. It is the vice of the hovel. He finds another object of attack in the English treatment of women as inferior beings, of which he complains severely.

"Blood food" is the suggestive name often given to Ayer's Sarsaparilla, because of its blood-enriching qualities.*

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HEAVY CORDED BLACK SILKS, exceptional value. Just received

At the CITY HOUSE

Chief Engineer Charles J. Phillips, Victoria's Fire Department, is in the field for re-election next October.

CITY COUNCIL.

The regular weekly meeting was held last night. Present—Mayor Rithet and Councillors Smith, Braden, Ward, McKillican, Teague, Earle and Warner.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Loewenberg, Harris & Co., on behalf of Hon. Hanley, asking that a new sidewalk be constructed on the corner of Broughton and Government streets. Referred to Street Committee.

From Sergeant Sheppard, of the police force, asking for remuneration for extra services since appointment of Sergeant Flewin as sanitary officer. Referred to Police Committee.

From A. J. Sargison and other residents of the vicinity, complaining of the flimsy construction of the new cabins, corner of Johnson and Quadra, the absence of drainage therefrom, and to a hole that was apparently meant for a cess-pit. Referred to sanitary committee and fire wardens to report.

Councillor Ward intimated that it was his intention to propose an amendment to the building by-law to further provide for the safety of the public.

From H. Joselyn, Secretary Anti-Chinese Union, enclosing resolution passed by that society on Tuesday evening.

His Worship said the corporation did not employ Chinamen, and he hoped it never would.

Councillor Warner sympathized with the resolution, and moved that it be received and filed.

Councillor Braden said that the portion of the resolution respecting the sanitary condition of Chinatown should be considered, as it was undoubtedly in a filthy condition.

From W. Heathorn and others residents of John and Bridge streets, calling attention to their dangerous condition and asking that they be repaired before the rainy season set in.

Referred to street committee.

MOTIONS.

In accordance with a notice of motion, Councillor Teague moved as follows: "That the manager of the Bank of British North America be authorized to cash a check dated 5th September, 1885, in favor R. B. McMicking, for the sum of $2500, with the names of R. P. Rithet, Mayor; John Teague, member Finance Committee, and Thos. Russell, Treasurer, attached thereto.

The Mayor said that this motion was the result of the deadlock that had occurred, and it seemed to be the only way of getting out of it.

Councillor Smith, who remarked that he was not ashamed of the electric light or the course he had pursued, seconded the motion.

Councillor Ward said that throughout the discussions on this question he had been consistent. The power vested in the Council did not bestow on them the liberty of frittering away such a large amount of the city funds as was proposed in the electric light purchase. Such a sum was an extraordinary expenditure, and according to the act anything more than an ordinary expenditure was a violation of it. At the beginning of the session the sum of $6000 was put in the estimates for street lighting purposes. The repayment of an extraordinary sum should be spread over a number of years, and if the payment of the present purchase sum were tested in court it would be set aside. He thought it very strange for any Councillor to authorize the Bank of British North America, by a notice, to pay any such sum when the same was likely to be refused for want of funds. Through the vote of five Councillors our finances are now very unsatisfactory, and no one was in a better position to judge of such than he (Councillor Ward) as chairman of the Finance Committee, and many of our public works are now suffering in consequence.

The motion was then put and carried on the following division. Coun. Warner not voting. For—Teague, McKillican, Smith and His Worship the Mayor. Against—Ward, Braden and Earle.

STREET COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

The street committee reported that Mason street repairs would cost $100; a sidewalk on Superior street, six feet wide, $227; and recommending that plans and specifications be prepared for repairs to the retaining wall and landing. Adopted.

LOAN BY-LAW.

The loan by-laws (1) for borrowing $25,000 for street repairs, sidewalks and bridges; (2) $16,000 for street lighting; (3) $14,000 for city lockup; $5000 for gutters and $5000 for sewerage, were read a first time.

On motion, Mr. W. K. Bull was appointed returning officer, and the day for taking the vote was fixed for Tuesday, 29th September.

Councillor Ward moved that the returning officer call for tenders for advertising the above by-laws. Carried.

SANITARY.

Councillor Earle, in reference to Sergt. Sheppard's application, suggested that if Sergt. Flewin's services were not required he be transferred to his former position.

Councillor Braden said a great deal was done that did not come before the Council.

Councillor Smith suggested that the chairman of the Sanitary Committee hand in a report at next meeting.

VICE-REGAL.

His Worship said that in view of the early visit of the Governor-General and Minister of Militia, a public meeting should be held to ascertain what steps should be taken to receive them. He intimated that a meeting would be convened on Monday evening next, at 7:30, to discuss the question.

Council adjourned.

RIEL IS RESPITED!

His Hanging Postponed Pending the Decision of the Privy Council.

Special to THE TIMES.

OTTAWA, Sept. 15.—Riel's counsel have been notified that notice of appeal from the Manitoba court to the Queen's Privy Council in England has been accepted. It is understood this will stay further proceedings of Regina until the appeal shall have been heard.

FROM REGINA.

A dispatch from Regina says Riel has been respited pending a decision of the British Privy Council.

FRANCE AGITATED IN FAVOR OF RIEL.

PARIS, Sept. 15.—Paris newspapers are agitating in favor of the pardoning of Riel. Clemenceau, in La Justice, recalls the appeal of Darwin, Huxley, Hooker, and Swinebume to Thiers, in favor of Elisee, when the latter was condemned as a communist, and proposes a similar appeal by distinguished Frenchmen for Riel. Figaro and La France insist that the unanimous sentiment of France on this subject must reach with England.

THE PURITAN WINS

The Second Race by One Minute and Thirty-Eight Seconds

And Carries Off the Yachting Cup for 1885 with a Splendid Record.

Special to THE TIMES.

SANDY HOOK, Sept. 16.—This is the day appointed for the Puritan and Genesta to sail to sea, twenty miles to windward and return from Scotland light ship.

11:07 a. m.—The Genesta crossed the starting line at 11:04 and the Puritan at 11:05.

11:15 a. m.—Wind is now blowing 15 miles an hour from the northwest.

SANDY HOOK, Sept. 16.—Noon.—The start was made amid the whistling of tugs and steamers. The Genesta crossing the line ahead of her rival, but the Puritan quickly recovered the ground and gained slightly on the starboard tack and darted over the course like a racehorse. The Puritan is to windward of the Genesta. Both yachts are contesting every foot of the course, and throwing up great masses of water on either side of their bows. Every sail is set and the prospects are for a quick race. The race began at 11:15; the yachts were abreast then, and the Genesta began to forge ahead. The crew on board the Puritan watched the Britisher slip by with anxious faces. Five minutes later the Genesta had increased the distance between her and the Boston boat to three cable lengths. She lay well over to the wind, cutting the water rapidly and gracefully.

12:05 p. m.—The Genesta is leading the Puritan by about half a mile.

At 12:35.—The yachts have now covered about fourteen miles of the outward run, and kept well apart with the Genesta still in the lead. The wind is now northwest and the weather cloudy.

The Genesta turned the stake boat at 10:5:20, and the Puritan at 10:7:31.

At 1:20.—The Puritan has had her top sails down for some time. The reason is not known. The wind is blowing at 25 miles an hour.

At 1:35 p. m.—The Puritan has not yet set her topsails. The Genesta was to windward of the Puritan and is gaining on her all the time. It was thought that the Puritan was crippled. At 1:38 p. m. the wind was blowing 35 miles an hour north-northwest and cloudy.

At 1:50 p. m.—The Puritan is now leaving the Genesta.

At 1:54 p. m.—The weather has set in thick, shutting out the yachts from view.

2:20 p. m.—The weather has cleared. The Puritan is thought to be ahead, but it is impossible to tell which is to windward.

2:25 p. m.—Both yachts have gone about on the starboard tack; the Puritan is ahead. She has not set her topsail.

2:30 p. m.—The yachts are now about ten miles east of Sandy Hook lightship. The Puritan is to windward and ahead, but it is impossible to judge the distance. The wind is blowing 37 miles an hour.

2:45 p. m.—Both yachts are east of Sandy Hook lightship. The Puritan is a mile to windward and ahead.

3:05 p. m.—The Genesta has every sail set, but for reasons unknown the Puritan fails to set her topsails; her crew, however, appears to be making efforts to that end.

3:10 p. m.—The yachts are on the last tack, and are about even. The wind is blowing 25 miles an hour.

3:28 p. m.—The Puritan has only her mainsail and jib set. The Genesta carries jib and mainsail and topsail, which is all she can lug. The Puritan is standing up straight as a stake.

4:11 p. m.—The Puritan crossed the winning line at 4:09, and the Genesta at 4:10.15. As the Puritan crossed the line there was the wildest excitement on the steamboats and sailing craft gathered near the lightship. The whistle of the judges' boat, announcing that the Puritan had beaten the Genesta, this time settling the question as to the respective qualities of the two styles of boat, and deciding that the cup could remain on this side of the water, was the signal for a general blowing of whistle, firing of cannon, and on the part of occupants of the various vessels for shouting, screaming, throwing up of hats, and general embracing.

NEW YORK, Sept. 16.—The Puritan has beaten the Genesta to-day over the 40 mile course from Scotland light ship, 20 miles to leeward and return, by two minutes and nine seconds, actual time, or one minute and thirty-eight seconds corrected time. The race was said by the oldest yachtsmen to be the best and most closely contested ever seen in the world. The wind was moderate from the west northwest at the start. As the yachts ran dead before it to the outer mark it increased, and before they had sailed half to windward in the work of returning, it was blowing half a gale from the north northwest with quite a lumpy sea. The Puritan housed her topsail, but the Genesta lugged her topsail to the finish. She was two minutes and six seconds ahead at the outer mark.

Cabinet Meeting at Washington.

Special to THE TIMES.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—A meeting of the cabinet was held to-day at which all the members were present except Secretarys Bayard and Endicott. It is understood that the policy of the government was one of the questions to be considered.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 15.—The President to-day appointed the following collector of customs, John S. Seager, for the district of San Francisco.

MARINE NOTES.

The ship Blue Jacket has arrived at San Francisco from Seattle.

The tug Pilot left here at noon to tow the C. L. Taylor from Salt Spring Island to the dry dock with stone. She will return to-night to the Inlet to tow the British bark Wilo to sea, bound to China.

The steamer Bonita, which has arrived in Portland from San Francisco, with combustibles, will leave for Alaska this week, carrying freight. Owing to the delay of the Ancon no orders could be received by merchants in time to fill them by the Idaho, which left with light freight. The Bonita will be used to "bridge over" the gap.

The San Pablo arrived at San Francisco on the 15th inst., with Hongkong dates of August 22nd and Yokohama of Sept. 1st.

Stealing a Clock.

Ah Wing stole a clock from Ah Yep, and was followed by the latter to the pawnbroker's and detected in the act of bartering for its sale. Ah Yep seized Ah Wing and carried him off captive, delivering him into the hands of Officer Young, who took him to gaol.

NEWS BY CABLE.

TO-DAY'S DESPATCHES.

A Great Speech by Chamberlain in Glasgow.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—Mr. Chamberlain spoke at Glasgow yesterday. In the course of his speech he took the ground that it was a matter of national importance that the coming parliamentary elections should result in seating a majority numerically strong enough to put down Parnellism. Speaking on the subject of church establishment, Mr. Chamberlain said he was opposed to state interference with, or aid to religion. In this matter he was a liberalist. (Great cheering.) He was in favor of freeing the Church in England, Scotland, and Wales from state control. Referring to the Irish question the speaker said he still adhered to the idea of a National Council in Dublin. Parnell, he said, though asking more, would doubtless take less. The speaker had always favored the union of English democracy and the Irish people, which would protect all against class oppression. He was hopeful that the bitter feeling in Ireland against England would disappear, as was already the case in Scotland.

The Afghan Boundary.

Special to the TIMES.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—M. Lessar, chief of the Russian branch of the Afghan boundary commission, was interviewed before leaving London. He said the Zulfikar Pass was of no strategetic importance. The eastern mouth of the pass remains in Russia's possession. The Afghans might erect fortification works if they pleased. There was no general desire among the Russians to attack Herat through the Zulfikar Pass.

A Complete Failure.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—There is no longer any doubt of the failure of the mission of Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, special British envoy to Turkey. It is announced that the Anglo-Turkish joint occupation of Egypt has been abandoned and that the Porte will consider the expediency of sending the commission to accompany Sir Henry to Egypt. It is generally believed that the Sultan's reasons for not acceding to the terms offered by the British envoy is that he feared that Russia would forget her promises respecting the treaty of Berlin in the event of an Anglo-Turkish alliance.

Will Not Support Germany.

Special to THE TIMES.

LONDON, Sept. 16.—The statement is made that England does not intend to support Germany in her claims respecting the Caroline Islands, but offers to mediate with Spain for the settlement of the question.

The Cholera in Italy.

Special to THE TIMES.

ROME, Sept. 15.—The government has begun issuing cholera bulletins. The first shows that from Sept. 6th to the 13th 146 cases and 86 deaths were reported in the infected districts of Italy. Yesterday there were reported four new cases and four deaths at Palermo, and 15 new cases and four deaths at Parma.

Russia and Turkey.

Special to THE TIMES.

PARIS, Sept. 15.—It is stated in diplomatic circles that Nedikoff, the Russian Ambassador at Constantinople, has gained the Sultan's ear, and the latter being also encouraged by France, will not accede to the main proposals of Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, the British special envoy, regarding the occupation of Egypt. It is probable that the mission of Sir Henry will now result in failure, owing to the pressure thus brought to bear upon the Sultan.

Cholera in Spain.

Special to THE TIMES.

MADRID, Sept. 15.—There were 1075 new cases of cholera and 371 deaths from the disease reported throughout Spain yesterday.

The Cholera in France.

Special to THE TIMES.

MARSEILLES, Sept 15.—Seven deaths from cholera were reported in this city yesterday; thirty patients remain under treatment in the Phama hospital. No more bulletins will be issued here.

PARIS, Sept. 15.—Cholera is spreading in the south of France; at Manosque there has been 80 deaths within three weeks; many deaths have occurred in other towns. At Aubagne 25 persons died from the disease within a few days; deaths decreasing at Salon.

JUDGE DUBUC

Gives His Reasons for Preferring not to Sit Upon the Riel Appeal.

Judge Dubuc, on being interviewed by a reporter relative to his reasons for refusing to sit on the Riel appeal case, said: It was on account of my private personal relations of friendship with Riel. We were companions at college in Montreal together from 1860 to 1865. We studied philosophy in the same class. We were not only schoolmates, but warm personal friends. A close intimacy existed between us for many years. When I came to Manitoba, Riel was here, and we renewed our friendship. He always attended mass at St. Boniface, and usually came home with me after and dined. We were attached to each other like brothers. Riel was president of the provincial government in 1870, when I got here, and he treated me as a personal friend. In 1873 and 1874 he was elected three times to the Commons. I always took an active part in his election, and may say that I elected him. When Riel was case we were always as friends in constant correspondence. Thus you can easily see that I would not like to sit upon his case, and probably be one of the judges, if the appeal were not sustained, who sent him to the gallows. I scarcely thought it a fair position to place a man in, especially as it could be avoided, there being three other judges who could constitute a court of appeal. Had it been otherwise I would have done my duty regardless of the bitterness the position would have occasioned me, as judge of my brother, or of him whom I had loved as one. I pointed out the difficulty to my fellow judges, and they appreciated the delicacy of my position and understood my sentiments thoroughly. I may say just here, most emphatically, that whatever justice may have existed in the grievances of the half breeds, I do not sympathize with, and I cannot but deplore, the act of taking up arms against the government. The constitution is broad, and nearly everyone would have been redressed without fighting, but if they could not, then the aggrieved had suffer for a time.

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NOTES AND COMMENTS.

PROF. HUXLEY, on account of his impaired health, will live hereafter in Italy.

MR. BURGESS, Deputy Minister of the Interior, is spending his holidays in the Maritime provinces.

LORD RANDOLPH CHURCHILL is in a state of nervous prostation through his excessive political work.

THE DUC DE MONTPENSIER has the largest royal fortune in Europe, and his only son is a hopeless imbecile.

NELLIE GRANT SARTORIS is believed to lead a very sad and monotonous life at her father-in-law's convent-like country home in England.

HON. JOHN A. BINGHAM, ex-minister to Japan, arrived at his old home in Cadiz, Ohio, after an absence of thirteen years.

THE writ has been issued for a new provincial election in the County of Joliette, Que., to replace DR. LAVALLEE, (Con.) appointed legislative councillor.

EMPEROR WILLIAM, Empress AUGUSTA and the entire Imperial family have promised to attend the opening performance of CHRISTINE NILSSON's Berlin season next November.

THE London *Daily News* says that in consequence of the soreness over the absence of a dividend on the Grand Trunk guaranteed and preference stocks, efforts are being made to form a new board of directors.

MR. TENNANT, lately member of Parliament for Leeds, will commence next November the publication in Rome of a semi-weekly journal in the interest of the American and English colonies there.

THE HON. MR. CHAPLEAU's medical adviser in Paris has sent the following brief dispatch to the hon. gentleman's friends at Ottawa: "Will send him back almost a new man." He will go to Baden before returning to Canada.

DELESSEPS is bringing the influence of financial houses to bear to obtain authority from the French government for an issue of Panama canal shares. PREMIER BRISSON adheres to his determination that no decision will be given until after the election.

THE EARL OF CARNARVON, being banqueted by the Belfast Harbor Commission, made a speech saying it was time to institute an impartial and searching enquiry into the relative nature of free trade and protection. He indirectly favored state aid to develope the natural resources of the West of Ireland.

THOUGH the Scott Act has been adopted in Fredericton, N.B., on two different votes, another is to be made to secure its repeal. The opponents of the measure claim to have the promise of a majority against the continuance of the act. It is as well not to boast until the vote is taken.

THE agreement between the Grand Trunk and the Canadian Pacific Railways, granting the latter the privileges of the Union Station, has at last been signed, after waiting over since July 1st, 1884. The agreement is for ten years from that date, and provides for such alterations and enlargement as may from time to time become necessary.

MANY Canadians will learn with interest that MR. ALEXANDER ALLAN, of the firm of ALLAN Brothers, has accepted an invitation from the Conservatives of Birkenhead to contest the borough at the ensuing general election in the place of MR. MCIVER, who retires. It will possibly be remembered that MR. MCIVER was for many years a partner in the firm of D. & C. MCIVER, managing owners of the Cunard steamers.

IT turns out that the Allan steamship Hanoverian was lost on the coast of Newfoundland from miscalculation of the ship's running, and was not due to compass deviation. On the day before the disaster no signs were obtainable, and the ship was sailing on dead reckoning. The miscalculation of the distance run, as it is now explained, may so easily happen that the result in this instance emphasizes afresh the need of constant soundings during foggy weather in all coast navigation. The wreck of the Hanoverian is a warning to all steamship companies to prescribe routes for their vessels which will give coast lines so wide a berth that small errors of calculation such as that now reported cannot imperil their safety.

RIEL'S FATE.

Ere the setting of to-morrow's sun the fate of RIEL will be sealed. It is yet a matter of conjecture whether the executive will extend its clemency to the condemned man or not. For no man in modern times have such superhuman efforts been made to save his life as RIEL's friends have put forth since the sentence of death was passed upon him. Many entertained the hope that the Manitoba judges would consent to a new hearing of the case being granted. With the exception of JUDGE DUBUC, a full bench, after hearing all the arguments of the learned counsel on both sides, confirmed the death sentence of Stipendiary Magistrate RICHARDSON. ARCHBISHOP TACHE, whose influence with the government is said to be all potent, in company with JUDGE DUBUC and other prominent citizens of French extraction from the Northwest, went all the way to interview SIR JOHN MACDONALD in RIEL's behalf, but with what result at latest accounts was unknown.

The latest advices from Ottawa stated that there was every probability RIEL would hang on the 18th, notwithstanding the report sent from there that Sheriff CHAPLEAU has been wired by the government not to make ready for the execution. RIEL's case was considered by the cabinet council last week. Not more than five ministers were present, SIR JOHN among the number. SIR HECTOR LANGEVIN and MR. POPE are also known to have been there. SIR JOHN said the law must take its course, the only ground on which a reprieve could be based would be evidence that RIEL had become insane since his condemnation. LORD LANSDOWNE has not been consulted in the matter.

The attitude of the leaders of the two political parties in Canada as well as their organs on this matter is a very sorry spectacle. The ministerialists are afraid of offending the French Canadians; while the Liberals are gloatingly watching to see if the government will dare to carry out the law. Which ever course the government adopt the Liberals will say, if they hang him, that they hang a man whom they goaded into rebellion, or if they do not hang him, that they let a rebel escape because the votes of his countrymen were powerful. If RIEL is not hung it will be as much by reason of the trimming position of MR. BLAKE, the *Globe* and other reform papers, as by reason of SIR JOHN MACDONALD's fear of the French vote. SIR JOHN MACDONALD's only salvation is in letting the law take its course, and it would appear as if he intended to take advantage of it. If he does his opponents will find themselves euchered again. This is a case in which both sides ought to speak out irrespective of party advantage and party responsibility, and if reformer and conservative joined in insisting that the law be carried out there would be no fear from French domination; but throughout this whole matter neither the *Globe* or the *Mail* has dared to speak out, evidently preferring to sell honor and the country's peace and safety for a mere party advantage. The law unquestionably should be allowed to take its course, and we are of the opinion that to-morrow morning LOUIS RIEL, the arch-rebel, traitor, and murderer of poor TOM SCOTT, as well as being instrumental in causing the death of hundreds of others, will expiate his crime on the gallows at Regina.

CONDITION OF TRADE.

The evidence of returning prosperity and improvement in trade is unmistakeable, and of a highly gratifying character. The New York *Bulletin*, a recognized authority on commercial matters, has recently been collating information received from various points extending from the Atlantic seaboard to the Pacific coast. These statements cover a great deal of territory and imply much, but they are supported by testimony not from a few but many sources, and as regards the main facts it is concurrent to a degree that is quite remarkable. The water and rail transportation companies at New York are obviously the most competent authorities in cases of this kind. Merchandise is carried by the former to almost every port on the coast and thence distributed among the great consuming centres. The railroads competing for similar traffic penetrate the interior points, and thus complete as it were, the network of communication between the producer, shipper and consumer. When the hold of the steamer and the car on the track receive their full measure of freight, the natural inference is that somebody is buying and selling, that there is an interchange of values going on, and that commerce is moving through its proper channels with something of the old-time activity. The views, therefore, of the various freight agents are on this point unmistakeable. They point out, in substance, that the final stages of a period of the long depression have been reached, with the corner fairly turned. Steamers which last year were tied up for want of freight, and which proved an incubus to their owners, are now all sailing with moderate and in some instances full cargoes. In no section of the country and in no class of merchandise does there appear to be any overstocking. Everything, on the other hand, points to a moderate but regular buying which is infinitely better than periodical and spasmodic activity, with resultant depression. It is difficult to ascertain the precise increase of business this fall as compared with the same period of last year. That there has been a very substantial increase so far, however, there is no reason to doubt. That the aggregate increase in the whole fall movement will exceed last year's by ten per cent. is, in the judgment of the various freight agents, not an exaggerated estimate.

WHAT WILL HE DO?

It is generally understood that MR. GLADSTONE's voice is about fully restored; but at the request of his medical adviser and friends he has so dulously avoided addressing meetings. Those who are privileged with his confidence state that the "grand old man eloquent" is preparing to make a few election speeches in the near future, which it is asserted will exercise a wonderful influence in the forthcoming electoral conflict. MR. GLADSTONE will undoubtedly take the position,—and with splendid effect before English and Scotch constituencies,—of indignant reprobation against the unholy compact between the Tories and the Irish national party. On the Irish question, MR. GLADSTONE's own record is a clean one. He has gone as far as he possibly could to improve the condition of the peasantry, and has indeed done for Ireland, in relation to the land, what, if done in England or Scotland, would have been looked upon as little less than revolutionary. At the same time he has remained true to the interests of the Empire. Now, if MR. GLADSTONE has strength to press upon the constituencies the danger to be apprehened from trifling with disunion, and the peculiar inconsistency of the Conservative leaders in dealing with PARNELL for his support, he may sweep the country as he did in the spring of 1880. Upon this issue thousands of Conservatives would rush to his support. It would be a singular thing to see MR. GLADSTONE coming back to power at the head of a kind of all-England party with CHAMBERLAIN and CHURCHILL trying to organize the forces of opposition on a radical platform. Yet the thing is not impossible. MR. GLADSTONE could render no better service to his country than to head a truly Conservative government for a few years—one which, without being false to any Liberal doctrine, would maintain without faltering or paltering the fundamental principles of national security and well being. His triumph in that case would not be a party triumph; it would be the triumph of the better sense of the whole people over the passions of party and the spirit of restless innovation.

IT is reported that SIR FRANCIS HART, British Ambassador to China, is very actively engaged in endeavoring to induce the Pekin government to so execute the provisions of the Anglo-Chinese commercial understanding recently reached between the two nations, as to give English firms the preference in the work of constructing the various railways and other internal improvements decided on, and for the construction of which the Germans have recently been making such strong overtures.

THE spread of small-pox not only in Montreal, but in other Canadian towns, makes it highly desirable that every precaution should be taken to prevent its introduction on the American side of the line. The post office department has wisely made a request that all mail from Montreal shall be fumigated before being dispatched.

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The Daily Times.

Victoria, Thursday, Sept. 17, 1885.

ROOF-SLEEPERS.

THREE CLASSES — PALATIAL, COMFORTABLE, AND WRETCHED.

Janitor and Family on the Warehouse Top—Tenants of the Flat Divide Their Territory—Swarms from the Tenement House.

[Joe Howard in Boston Globe.]

Well-to-do people, who have found it just this side of impossible to exist during the hot nights of the heated term, have a very faint conception of the discomforts, annoyance and positive suffered endured by scores of thousands of people, to whom a second room would be an extravagance and an individual room a luxury. Of New York's 2,000,000 a large estimate sends 250,000 out of town, leaving at a modest point 1,500,000 in the stifling city. Of these, scores of thousands cannot sleep at all at night, and other scores of thousands steal their forty winks at a time lying on the sidewalk, sitting on the stoop, resting against garbage boxes or utilizing wagons; but a more unique bed-chamber than any of these are the roofs of houses, where, if we can credit the police for a general estimate and a personal observation for incidental discoveries, not less than 50,000 men, women children seek the repose that is denied them in their overheated and utterly uncomforable apartments.

There are three kinds of roof sleepers—the palatial, the comfortable, and the wretched. Certain sections of the metropolis are occupied almost exclusively by huge warehouses, which stand solitary in their stupendous proportions, their iron doors barred, their iron windows close shut and locked, and a silence, so oppressive that it can almost be felt, reigns from early in the evening until stirring hour on the following morning. These warehouses, like the tremendous buildings devoted to offices for hire, which are also silent as the tomb at night, are guarded by watchmen or janitors, well paid, honest men, who, with their families, occupy the upper portions of the buildings. These families are what may be called the palatial roof sleepers.

They may be seen in the early evening, and indeed far into the middle of the night, sitting comfortably in chairs on the vast tin covered roofs of these magnificent architectural successes, smoking, drinking beer, chatting with friends and neighbors, chaffing with neighbors on adjacent roofs, the children playing about in negligé costume, while on the very hottest of hot nights a healthful, invigorating, delightful breeze fans their fevered brows and cools their heated blood. Extemporaneous beds are prepared there—a simple mattress, with covering; sometimes nothing but a pillow, and oftentimes easily handled cots—but always in excessively warm weather these people are more comfortable than those who own the buildings on the top of which they sleep.

The second-class, the "comfortable," are so only by comparison. They are the occupants of houses divided into flats, where from five to ten families occupy one building. Persons living in flats are familiar with the fact that while the occupant of the first floor has exclusive possession of the yard, the roof is common property. Sometimes the roof is utilized for drying clothes, but the better grade of medium flats use pulley-ropes, while the more expensive apartment houses have regular drying rooms attached to the laundry. It is obvious that eight or ten families, averaging five persons in a family, could very easily kick up a gay and festive disturbance on a roof when every member of each family is disgruntled, uncomfortable, uneasy and in torments for want of sleep, so that rare diplomacy and perfect good feeling are essentials to this comfortable class of roof-sleepers.

Oftentimes in one of these flat houses there will be families who could not be persuaded to go upon the roof under any circumstances, but there are tens of thousands of people living in that style of house—the house not being originally intended for flats—who make common cause each with the other and divide the roof equitably, so that all can be comparatively comfortable. The police regard it as one of the marvels of life that even in this class of perfectly reputable and well-meaning citizens so few accidents occur by reason of night exposure. At all events there they are, each roof having from twenty to thirty of the forty or fifty people in the house sleeping there night after night, with the full moon shining as their own light.

But the most interesting class, the most complicated, are the third—the wretched class of roof sleepers. The people occupy the lowest grade of tenement houses, where not only scores but hundreds are huddled together as sheep were formerly huddled on cars and wagons before Mr. Bergh's interference made such outrages to four-footed animals impossible. There are tenement houses within a quarter of a mile's radius of the city hall whose every room accommodates from one to three families; where men and women die and children are born; where beds are huddled, meals are cooked, clothes are washed, dried and ironed. There the sick toss upon their cots, the young play, the old drink and smoke, and the whole panarama of existence, from the first breath of puny babyhood to the final gurgle of dying old age, is unveiled in the presence of indifferent spectators of different ages, nationalities and sexes.

These places are bad enough in the winter. In the summer, leaving aside all question of health, decency and morals, the utter wretchedness physical is something utterly and absolutely beyond description or conception to those who have not been an eye witness to it. That these people should swarm upon the sidewalks, sit upon the curbstones or walk the streets is not strange. Who, then, can wonder that they multitudinously rush in hot haste for choice places on the roof. The roof of a tenement house in which hundreds swarm is no larger and can hold no more people than the roof of a house in which one family decorously lives, or half a dozen comfortably reside.

Nightly squabbles, fights and disturbances occur, and why it is the children are not precipitated to the pavement, and that drunken brawlers don't hurl one or the other over the gutter, or that brutal assaults, more easily imagined than described, are not nightly occurrences is one of the mysteries of this peculiar misery. Every night during the week these populous districts were noisy with the people in the streets and noisy with the people on the roofs. It is a fortunate thing for New York that in the very hottest nights there are spots were some kind of a breeze can be obtained, and these roofs are those happy places.

Facts of Interest.

The wheels of the English hansom cabs are made in America.

Bed spreads and pillow-cases are now made of white paper.

Only 1 per cent. of the soil of Florida is fit for orange cultivation.

Great plantations in Guatemala are devoted to the culture of the cochineal bug.

If you weigh all the hair upon your head and then weigh a single hair you can figure out how many hairs there are altogether.

Mr. Lennox Browne, an English physiologist, finds that drinking and smoking affect the vocal organs, statistics furnished by no less than 380 professional vocalists having shown him that a singer should avoid all stimulants.

BOYS AND GIRLS

Live Flower Pots.

Here is something very pretty and interesting for our young people.

GROWING VASE. EMPTY VASE.

It is in brief, a flower pot with the plants upon the outside of it instead of the inside. Get a red earthen vase of a pretty shape. The one in the picture is as good as any. Even a common flower pot would do if the hole in the bottom was plugged up, so the water would not leak through. The vase or pot must be of the unglazed earthenware. This is very porous, and will let water readily soak through. Even a brick will absorb a large amount of moisture, you know. Plunge the vase into water all over, and let it soak twenty-four hours. Then all the pores will be full of water, from inside to out. Fill it with water, and cover it thickly all over the outside with fine grass or hayseed. Any very small seed of the grass family will do. The surface of the vase must be covered with the seed. In a few days the seed will sprout, and the grass will shoot out its fine, needle-like spears. The vase will be covered with a beautiful living green, like a young wheat field in April. You have no idea what a nice ornament this thing makes. The roots strike out and mat together and form a smooth, solid under surface, which holds this inverted small garden in its place. The coating can be peeled off the vase like a layer of an onion. The green will live several weeks in this odd, pretty way. Try it. In winter, when flowers and plants are so scarce, the growing vase will be very attractive for the window or mantelpiece of a home.

The vases, with the grass already sprouted and growing upon them, are sold in the streets of New York city. They are considered quite curious and pretty. You see them occasionally as a decoration in the show windows of the stores. The vase must be kept full of water, so the roots will not die out. It is very interesting to watch the tiny seeds sprouting out and starting to grow, right in the light, under your very eyes. It is an object lesson in botany. The vases are attractive decorations for a church, Sunday school room or dinner table. For the teacher's stand or any of the pupils' desks in a school house nothing could be more pleasing. It would give a refined and pretty look to the whole place. Such a growing vase is healthy in rooms.

Two Strangers Meet.

[Harper's Young People.]

"WELL, WHO ARE YOU?"

About Lion Taming.

There is no truth whatever in the idea often circulated that lions, tigers and other inmates of the "performing cage" are drugged or otherwise stupefied before the master with the whip enters their den and proceeds to set it in an uproar. Another common belief is that red hot irons are employed in taming the creatures, or are always kept in readiness lest accident should occur. No lions or tigers are ever cowed with a red hot iron nowadays. As a rule, lion tamers are not very fond of taking a cage of young cubs and training them. It has been found that the beasts so brought up are quite as treacherous and uncertain as any new comers who are at once taken in hand for show purposes.

It is a fact that lions vary decidedly in disposition and tastes. Some behave well enough so long as they are not punished and go through their various feats willingly; others are furious if they are forced to leap about or act in the den, but do not object to being whipped. The danger to the tamer is four times as great in the management of a cage containing both lionesses and lions as in one where are only the males, and it is almost always the case that the lady stirs her lord up to mischief, often at the cost of a human life.

How a Farmer Boy Makes Pickles.

A boy whom we know of makes quite a nice sum of money every year by raising a patch of cucumbers for pickles. The month of July is not yet too late to plant them. He is a hard-working, ambitious boy, who will be sure to make his way in the world. Besides the cucumbers, he has a chicken house, which he built himself. We told you about that once before. He has since got some full-blooded brown Leghorn fowls, which he is very proud of. They have given a large number of eggs.

Here is how this industrious boy makes his pickles. The cucumbers should not be larger than the finger. In salting them, put a layer of salt in the bottom of the cask; upon this put cucumbers and salt in alternate layers at the rate of three quarts of salt to a bushel of cucumbers; add a little water to make brine, and weight the whole; the cucumbers should be covered with brine within twenty-four hours. In freshening, place in a tub and cover with boiling water once a day for three days, or until fresh. Then place in tubs and cover with vinegar. Add one teaspoonful of mixed spices to the gallon, and a little alum. They are worth from forty to sixty cents per hundred, according to the season.

Enigma.

Here is an enigma so easy that you can guess some of the words the first time you look at them:

I am a word of 6 letters.
My 4, 3, 5, is a boy's nickname.
My 2, 3, 1, is an old cloth.
My 5, 3, 1, school children play.
My 2, 3, 5, is a small quadruped.
My 5, 3, 4, is a tawny color.
My 3, 4, 5, is an insect.
My 3, 3, 2, is a sailor.
My 4, 3, 1, is a small horse.
My 2, 3, 4, 5, is noisy talk.
My whole is the surname of a noted man.

Faith and Mind Cures.

Do not scoff at them; do not accept them. It is very possible that there is a force in nature that is not yet understood. It may be as powerful as electricity. It may be as much finer than that force as electricity is finer than steam. Much as we know in our day, it would be preposterous to say we know everything. This force, not yet known or understood, may be at the bottom of faith and mind cures and of spiritual manifestations of all grades. That there is such a force some of the most learned and scientific men of the time are inclined to admit. Those who seem to work wonders are those who begin to understand how to use it.

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je23 1aw 2m GEORGE McALLISTER.

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land, situate at Hornfray Channel, New Westminster District, described as follows:

Commencing at Mr. Lewis' northeast corner; thence north 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence south 80 chains to Wm. Lewis' northwest corner; thence west 80 chains to point of commencement.

je23 1aw 2m F. PAFFORD.

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Salmon River Valley, described as follows: Commencing at a post about 1½ miles below the mouth of Memekay river on Salmon river, and running west 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 40 chains, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, more or less, to the bank of the Memekay river, thence following the banks of the Memekay and Salmon rivers to the point of commencement.

CHRISTOPHER IRVING.

Victoria, August 4, 1885. aug4 2m w

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that we, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a license to cut timber on the following described land:

Commencing at a post on the right bank of the Homathko river, seven miles from the south Coast District, running west 80 chains, thence north 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence south 80 chains to point of commencement.

WM. McPHERSON.
GEORGE REALY.

Victoria, August 20, 1885. aug20 w 2m

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land, more or less, situated near Blenkinsop Bay, Johnson's Straits, N. W. coast of British Columbia, commencing at a stake near the outlet of a lake situated about two miles N. E. of said bay and running west 80 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence northwards 40 chains to point of commencement.

je23 1a w 2m M. C. IRELAND.

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY given that I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 480 acres of land situate at Salmon River Valley, described as follows, viz.: Commencing at a post 2½ miles from the mouth of Salmon river and ¼ mile east of the east bank of said river, thence south 80 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains, thence north 40 chains, thence west 40 chains to point of commencement.

WILLIAM POWER.

Victoria, B. C., 4th August, 1885. aug4 w2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, at Victoria, for permission to purchase five hundred acres of land, more or less, situated on the S. E. side of Gordon Pasha Lake, said lake being about three (3) miles from the sea coast, and four miles from Scotch Fir Point, Molosfena Straits, N. W. coast of British Columbia, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake on the S. E. side of lake, about one mile from its outlet, and running east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west to lake; thence running southwards following shore of lake to point of commencement.

je10 2m M. C. IRELAND

NOTICE.

I HEREBY give notice I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 500 acres of land, more or less, situated on the S. E. side of Gordon Pasha Lake, said lake being about three miles from the sea coast and four miles from Scotch Fir Point, Molosfena Straits, N. W. coast of British Columbia, and described as follows:

Commencing at a stake at N. W. corner of M. C. Ireland's claim and running east 80 chains thence north 40 chains; thence east 40 chains thence north 40 chains; thence west to shore of lake; thence in a southerly direction following shore of lake to point of commencement.

je10 2m MORRIS MOSS.

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JOHN GRANT,

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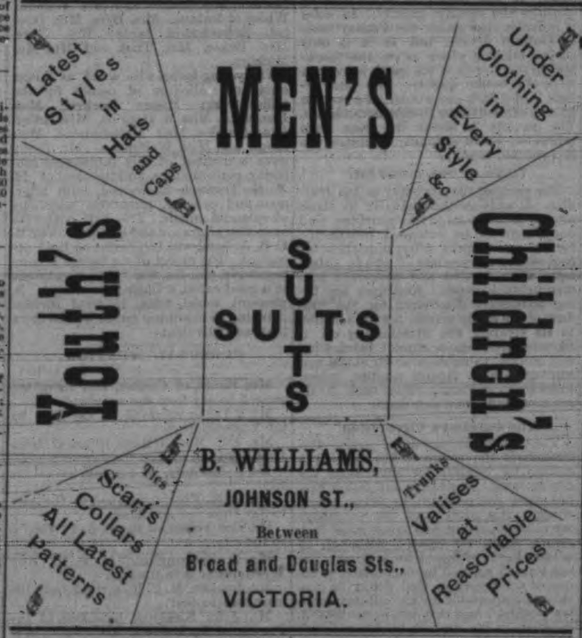

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Victoria, Thursday, Sept. 17, 1885.

TO CORRESPONDENTS.

While the TIMES is always prepared to give publicity to the views of correspondents on any question of interest to the public, provided fair ones are given, couched in unobjectionable language, we wish it to be understood that we do not hold ourselves responsible for the views expressed by the writers thereof.

Nor can we give room to duplicates of letters that have appeared in our contemporaries either in this city or elsewhere in the province. Correspondents, therefore, will save time and trouble in preparing such for THE TIMES, as they will be rejected.

Our space is valuable, and brevity, as far as possible, should be observed in writing on any topic, and on ONE SIDE of the sheet only.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—Preston & Co. are now prepared to sink wells and furnish pumps. See ad.

—Before purchasing Real Estate or insuring your life, see Rand Bros.

—The steamer Barnard Castle passed up to Nanaimo this morning to load coal.

—Andrew Reid was run in to-day for vagrancy, a misdemeanor that has become altogether too common of late.

—Rev. David Tatum, a well known clergyman, will deliver a temperance lecture in Temperance Hall on Friday night.

—The Chilliwhack Agricultural Exhibition will be held at the village of Centerville on the 29th inst.

—The Teaser to-day had twenty-seven passengers, 43 tons of miscellaneous freight and twenty-three bundles of hides.

—The British bark Prince Rupert has been chartered by Robert Ward & Co., to load salmon and general cargo for London.

—The steward of the Royal Hospital acknowledges the donation of two bags of potatoes by Mr. C. Williams to the institution.

—No trace has yet been found of the body of the unfortunate man Charles Stewart, who was drowned off the Amelia. His disconsolate widow has offered a reward of $100 for its recovery.

—A public meeting has been called by His Worship Mayor Rithet for Monday night to consider a suitable reception for the Governor General, Sir Chas. Tupper, Sir Adolphe Caron, Sir Fred. Middleton and Hon. J. H. Pope.

—The British Columbia Provincial Exhibition will be held this year in New Westminster on the 1st and 2nd of October. The C. P. R. and the C. P. N. Companies have agreed to convey passengers and freight to and from the exhibition at greatly reduced rates.

—The Olympian brought freight for J H Todd & Son, Welch, R & Co, Thos Earle, A Ofner, P. McQuade & Son, W H Redmond, Blair & Co, A Cowan, R M Woodward, Dr C Brown, Penson & Week, Brown & White, D Spencer, Turner, Beeton & Co, Henderson Bros, Powers Bros, M Steves Bros, Neufelder & Ross, M E Wirth, J Wilson, T Tugwell, Kelty Bros, S T Brewster, H Coffey, J Weiler, Burns & Co, E & N R Co, J Dassonville & Co, M C Powers.

Incoming Passengers.

The following passengers will be due to-morrow from San Francisco on the steamer Mexico, which sailed Sept. 15th: Mrs E Barlow, James McWaight, G H Minott, C F Chick, J K Thompson, Mrs H G Walker, Mrs McKeon, Chang Ming Sing and wife, Ah Ye, Ung Kit Son, So Lung Chan Lee, Chong Ing, Lee Yeng You, wife and servant, M Walker, D R B Clark, S Berman, Miss Josie Newberger.

Advance in Sugar.

A private telegram from San Francisco, dated the 15th inst., says that all kinds of sugars have advanced two cents per pound. This would indicate that the combination that generally manipulates sugar in that city had again cornered the market. Retail prices may be expected to advance in harmony with wholesale.

Fort Rupert Coal.

We have been shown a sample of coal from near Fort Rupert. The quality is similar to the best Wellington. The seam is five feet thick and of a large area, a bed of sandstone (or freestone) having been traced for fifteen miles. Three men have gone with the Barbara Boscowitz to open it up and prove it.

Judge Harris Gone.

Word has been received that Judge J. M. W. Harris, of Port Townsend, passed away on the 8th inst. at Chicago, after a lingering illness. He was a law partner of Judge Kuhn, of Port Townsend, and was one of the most genial of men. He was formerly of Mississippi.

From Nanaimo.

The Amelia arrived at 3:15 this afternoon. The following are among the passengers: Mrs Atkin, Mrs Charley, Mrs Musgrave, Mrs Sharp, J Abrams, E Musgrave, J E Pimbury, Connoly, Gannoway, A Mayers, Boyd, W H Adams, Brighmian, Foster, H Warner, McDonell, W Gordon, Harrison, Jones, Bowkett, Grafton, Pollard, Rhodely, Carter.

The Terminus.

The Columbian says that during the past thirteen months 48 new buildings have gone up in Granville. This growth is said to exceed that of any other place in the district, New Westminster excepted. It certainly looks as though there were a large number of people who have confidence in the future of the railway terminus.

From the Mainland.

The Yosemite to-day brought down 300 cases of salmon for Quebec, from the B. A. P. Co., Canoe Pass; 204 packages of vegetables for M Baker; 81 bales of hay, and 33 sacks of grain for McLaughlan & Davis; 104 pkgs of oats, cheese and vegetables for S. Leiser; and 150 sacks of oats for "diamond H.," besides a quantity of miscellaneous freight.

Horrible Discovery.

A cellar has been discovered in San Francisco where the remains of about 300 Chinese had been prepared for export to China. The flesh had been boiled off the bones in large vats, the bleached bones were then boxed preparatory to shipment. The room was in a most disgusting, filthy condition; the stench from it being unbearable.

Died of Typhoid Fever.

Mr. W. J. Powers, formerly with A. B. Gray & Co., of this city, went up to Farwell a few months ago and opened a general store, in partnership with Mr. Shaw. His friends will be surprised and pained to hear of his death, which occurred on Saturday last from typhoid fever. The remains were sent to this city, arriving to-day by the Yosemite. Mrs. Powers, who was still in Victoria, waiting for the time to arrive to rejoin her husband at Farwell, met the body at Eagle Pass. She has the genuine sympathy of the community in her overwhelming sorrow. Deceased was a young man, highly respected, and his sudden and untimely death will cause general regret to all his friends.

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THE DISCOVERY MADE.

A gentleman, thoroughly familiar with the timber trade, named W. L. McDonald, was making a prospecting tour in Comox some months since, when he came across a pool of water, and desiring to quench his thirst he made an effort to partake of a drink. The water was covered with a dark heavy scum, which he endeavored to blow aside, but failed, as the substance was of a tenacious nature. He then applied a stick and found that the mass was of an oily nature. The idea at once flashed on him that it was oil that had oozed out of the ground and had been carried to this spot. The odor and taste then satisfied him that his conjectures were correct. He applied a taper to some of the oil on paper and

IT BURNED BRILLIANTLY.

But Mr. McDonald was puzzled how to retrace his steps and locate the spot again. Repeated efforts were made by him to find the pool; at last in company with a couple of others, after a search of many days, the locality was again discovered, and the pipe left by Mr. McDonald on his first visit found. Samples were then procured; the locality marked and the trail leading to it blazed.

GENUINE CRUDE OIL.

A sample of the oil was brought to this office. It was tested as to its burning qualities and specific gravity. In color it is darker than either the Pennsylvania or Ontario article, but as it is only surface oil, that which is in the "pockets" in the bowels of the earth is certain to be of a better quality. The pure article is of a dark green color, of a specific gravity of about 34 by Syke's thermometer. The locality is about five miles from tidewater, where shipping facilities can be procured readily.

VALUE OF THE DISCOVERY.

The value of the discovery is incalculable. It adds another industry to those already established in this province, and one which can be extended indefinetly, for the wide world offers a market for coal oil and the product of crude petroleum when treated and converted into merchantable goods. New uses are being constantly discovered for the product of the crude article, for, in addition to its yielding the illuminating oil it likewise produces a capital lubricating and fuel oil, valuable alike for steam and gas purposes. Sperm candles, ladies' toilet soaps and many other such goods are now made from petroleum.

The Colonist's Circulation.

The Colonist is "squealing" again—this time about the action of the Council in calling for tenders for advertising the city by-laws. The feeble old fellow cannot stand competition; he fears honest rivalry. His glory and his patronage are alike departing, and once gone they return again no more. Although 27 winters have whitened his locks, he has not learned wisdom by experience, or acquired a circulation that would be considered respectable by an ordinary country weekly. And this, too, notwithstanding that, in his despair, he has resorted by turns to coaxing, cajolery and coercion. Twenty-seven years old, and ONLY eleven hundred of a circulation!!! What a sad commentary on the moral and political tergiversation of the editor of the Colonist. And what asplendid tribute to the intelligence of the people! They don't want it, and they won't have it, and hence the circulation is steadily growing smaller and beautifully less. Of course he won't tender for the advertising of the loan by-laws, although only a few months ago he did tender for the report of the Royal Hospital, and got it too, because he was prepared, with his limited circulation of 1100, to do the work less than the other newspapers. But he is a sly dog, very crooked in his transactions, and it is just possible he may relent and underbid all the others.

The Carnival.

The fancy dress carnival at the Roller Skating Rink last night was a great success. All the seats were occupied by spectators at an early hour, and when the skaters took the floor the standing room around the sides of the large pavilion was densely crowded. Fully fifteen hundred people must have been present. A large number of masqueraders, in every description of costume, occupied the floor for an hour. No list of names, or the characters represented was kept, so that it is impossible to publish them. There were a number of very good representations, while a few did not appear to aim at anything beyond mere disguise. There was, no doubt, a good deal of diffidence on the part of skaters, the ladies especially, to take part; but this will wear off with repetition. The prizes were awarded to Mrs. Howell, most graceful lady skater; Mrs. Currie, best sustained lady character; Mr. A. Heathorn, best sustained character for gentleman, and Mr. Morse, most comical character. Several others, who did not receive prizes, were almost equally worthy, but the judges seem to have discriminated fairly. The management is deserving of great credit for the unexceptional manner in which everything was conducted. The rink is growing in popularity with old and young, and when the next carnival takes place the only trouble will be to find skating room for the throng that will be present.

The Sooke Iron Mine.

The statement in the Colonist this morning that the Sooke iron mine, the property of Messrs. J. A. Richards and others, had been sold for the sum of £20,000 is entirely misleading. The property, through Mr. W. De La Penotiere, has been bonded till the 1st prox. Conditions were embraced in the agreement that were objectionable to the parties looking into the affair. These have been removed, and the time extended to the 1st of December, in order to allow an expert to examine and report upon the property. Should his report be favorable a sale is more than probable through the efforts of Mr. De LaPenotiere. A couple of weeks since two gentlemen from Pittsburgh, Pa., inspected the locality with the view of purchasing, but until the first agreement is disposed of no new arrangement can be considered.

Arrested on Suspicion.

Bush Sue, a Chinaman, was arrested to-day by Constable Lewis and locked up. He is suspected of being the party who murdered a man named Dempsey, in San Francisco some time ago. The officers have been on the alert for the murderer for some time. The prisoner, who was visited in the gaol by a dignified looking friend from Chinatown, is said to be a "heap good man" and not the one wanted.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

The Electric Light.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES:

SIR,—In discussing the lighting question none of your correspondents have touched upon a point of the first importance to the Councillors personally, namely, the legal liabilities they may incur by dealing with the civic purse, of which they are the guardians for a year only, in any manner contrary to law. The immunity enjoyed by previous Councillors, for years past, is not likely to be continued in the future. Amongst the factors which will contribute to a change in this respect, are the improved strength of the judiciary, the influx of educated eastern Canadians, the increase of independent thought and action, and the extinction of those despotic ideas of government by favor, unfortunately inherited from Crown colony days. The broad principles governing corporations, well known to those familiar with municipal institutions in the east, are, (first) that the Council shall not expend more than the revenue of the year, and (second) that the annual revenue shall be spent in meeting the ordinary requirements of the municipality, and not in what are termed "extraordinary expenditures," such as the purchase of an electric light, or any other "white elephant." When Councillors in Ontario exceed their powers they are sued, and held personally liable; such may, sooner than expected, be the fate of our City Fathers.

REEVE.

St. James' Church Bazaar.

The promoters of the Bazaar in connection with St. James' Church have good cause for satisfaction. The public extended a liberal patronage yesterday, and will be present in even larger numbers to-day. The articles displayed for sale are in great variety and very beautiful. Many sales were made by the ladies, in charge. The names of the ladies at the stalls were: Fancy work table—Mrs. E. Johnson, Mrs. Beanlands, Mrs. Mallandaine, Mrs. Vidler, Mrs. Prroger, and Miss Vidler. Flower stand—Mrs. and Miss Wolfenden. Doll table—Miss Loewen, Mrs. Smithe and Mrs. Gamble. Wheel of fortune—Mrs. Byrn, Mrs. Goepel. Refreshment table—Mrs. Gore, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Tuck and Mrs. McMicking.

The young ladies who acted as flower girls and solicitors of names for the raffles were: Misses Loewen, Miss Dunsmuir, Miss M. Higgins, Miss Adler, Miss Smithe, Miss Mallaindaine, Miss Leigh, and Miss Wolfenden. Mr. Troup gave a number of very interesting conjuring performances, and the band of H. M. S. Triumph discoursed, both afternoon and evening, numerous selections of splendid music. The hall continues open this afternoon and evening. The B. C. G. A. band will be present on both occasions. The object of the bazaar is commendable, and the few "bits" spent there in a good cause, will never be missed. A pleasant social time, in good society, listening to charming music will be more than an equivalent.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mrs. Soues, of Clinton, and daughter, arrived to-day from the mainland.

Mr. S Leiser returned to the city by the Yosemite to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson returned from Burrard Inlet to-day.

Mr. J. McCully, of Clinton, is in the city.

Mr. D. M. Eberts returned to the city to-day from the mainland.

Mr. Ben Young, of the B. A. P. Co., is in the city.

Mr. J. Cunningham, M. P. P., New Westminster is in the city.

Mr. Jas. Orr, M. P. P., arrived from the mainland to-day.

Mr. John Kirkland, president of the Provincial Agricultural Association, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Soules, Mr. and Mrs. Guishon, Miss McGee, and Messrs. Walker, Stone, McWinn, and C. Cameron were passengers to-day from the mainland.

Mr. John Malawanski, an old timer, arrived in the city to-day after an absence of sixteen years. He comes from San Francisco. Naturally he is surprised and delighted at the evidences of prosperity to be seen on every hand in Victoria.

The Olympian's passengers to-day were: H Brooks, wife and son, J Collet, J Mallonsky, A Derbey, J O At, E W Mason and wife, J Wallens, M Hobart, D Tatum, J Siebenbaum, L Reynolds and wife, A Mason, J S Townsend, H H Jeffery, W W Corbett and wife, E W Dusten and wife, Mrs J C Moore, Miss M Dol, J Ham and wife, E G Jones.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Edwin Johnson, Esq., S. M.)

Yesterday afternoon F. Hess was found guilty of stealing a suit of oil-clothes from P. A. DeFrieze, on the City of San Diego, and sentenced to three months.

Luck Chang and Kim Lung, stealing ducks from Wm. McKinnon, were committed for trial.

THURSDAY, Sept. 17.

John Anderson, drunk; fined $5 or one week.

Geo. H. Keyes, a respectable young lad employed on THE TIMES, was accused by a Chinaman with having assaulted him. The case was remanded from yesterday to give complainant time to procure evidence, but he failed to put in an appearance this morning. The defendant, however, with a number of witnesses was present to prove that he was innocent. The court was satisfied with the boy's statement and dismissed the charge without hearing any more evidence for the defence.

Low Lin, accused by Chu Goon with stealing actors' clothing from the Dan San Pung Theater. The defendant was an actor in the above theatre and could not get his wages. He left and went to a rival theatre, and requiring his clothing went back and took it away. The prosecutor then had Low Lin arrested for larceny.—At court yesterday the prosecutor failed to appear and a warrant was issued for his arrest. The magistrate dismissed the charge against Low Lin.

Richard A. Proctor was again remanded for eight days.

Thomas McEwen, implicated in the theft of eighty dollars in gold from the person of William Kirkwood, while the latter was asleep in the cabin of Hampton and for which Hampton and Dickson have already been committed for trial, was up again to-day. Similar evidence was submitted as on the previous trials, and witnesses proved that prisoner had on or about the day of the robbery changed two or three twenty dollar gold pieces. He was sent up for trial.

James Smith, stealing a pair of blankets, valued at $10, from Mr. C. Millar, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to two months at hard work.

The Weekly Times

Will be issued to-morrow morning and copies can be procured at the office of publication and at the bookstores. As usual the latest news from all parts of the world up to the hour of going to press, as well as a replete epitome of the city and province news, will be found of great interest. "The monarch of the weeklies" in this province is till extending its circulation and influence. It should be found in every house in the land.

Meetings of Societies.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, corner Langley and Fort Streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
sep 1-ly JAMES RUSSELL, Secretary.

Nanaimo Harbor Improvements.

Mr. R. Heyland, C. E., has received instructions from the Dominion government, to survey Beacon rock in Nanaimo harbor, with a view to its removal. It is proposed to blast it away so that there will be thirteen feet of water at low tide. At present it is exposed several feet at low tide.

A Peculiar Accident.

Mr. T. C. Howard, who has been engaged at Nanaimo in painting new scenery for the Institute theatre, met with a severe accident last week from a loose plank. Stepping suddenly on the end of a plank, it flew up and struck him on the nose, breaking it. He will be scarred for life.

For the New Church

The ladies of the Methodist congregation are engaged in preparing a bazaar in aid of the new church and any assistance will be gratefully received by the following ladies: Mrs. D. Spencer, Mrs. Shakespeare, Mrs. Burkholder and Mrs. G. Grant.

Eastern Shell Oysters, just received at the Poodle Dog.

Rand Bros., Real Estate and Insurance Agents, Victoria and New Westminster.

The Oriental Restaurant will hereafter be kept open day and night.

JERSEYS! JERSEYS!

One hundred and fifty Jerseys received to-day at the White House. Hutcheson, Young & Co.

BEADED BLACK SILK JERSEYS; Beaded Black Cashmere Jerseys; Plain Black Cashmere Jerseys, from $1,62½ each. Just received at the

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FIRE DEPARTMENT

THE NOMINATION for Chief and Assistant Engineers will take place on

Monday, September 28,

At the office of the Board of Delegates,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

At which time the names of all candidates must be submitted to the Secretary of the Victoria Fire Department in writing, signed by the candidate and at least two members of the Fire Department in good standing.

If more than one candidate is nominated for either office, an Election will take place at the office aforesaid

On Monday, October 5,

The Poll to remain open from 12 o'clock, noon, to 4 o'clock p. m.

WM. LOHSE,
sep16 td President V. F. D.

Public Notice.

A PUBLIC MEETING will be held in the City Hall on

MONDAY EVENING, 21st inst.,

AT 7:30 O'CLOCK,

To take into consideration the action desired to be taken by the citizens in connection with the visit of the Marquis of Lansdowne, Governor-General; Sir Charles Tupper, Canadian Minister in London; Sir A. Caron, Minister of Militia; Major-General Sir Frederick Middleton, Commander of the Canadian Forces, and Hon. J. H. Pope, Minister of Agriculture.

R. P. RITHET,
City Hall, 17th September, 1885. Mayor.
sep17 1d

Beds! Beds!

TO LET AT QUEEN CHAMBERS, YATES STREET. Beds 50 cts. per night, or lower rates for one week or upwards. aug6 tf

NEW TO-DAY.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH BAZAAR.

Wednesday & Thursday,

16th and 17th September,

—IN THE—

PHILHARMONIC HALL.

The Bazaar will be opened on Wednesday, at 3 o'clock.

By kind permission of Admiral Sir Michael Culme-Seymour, the

BAND OF H. M. S. TRIUMPH

Will be present.

Museum of Antiquities.
Conjuring Tricks, Etc.

Admission to the Hall 25 cents. sep12

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British Bark Hermine,

☞ IRON. A 1, Lloyds. 538 Tons Register. (Captain S. JONES).

WILL load in Victoria harbor for the above port (after discharging inward cargo); and will have quick dispatch.

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"Land Registry Ordinance, 1870."

Westerly Half of Lot 381, VICTORIA CITY.

WHEREAS the Certificate of Title of Augustus Cecil Cooper of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, to the above mentioned portion of said lot, bearing date the 20th day of April, 1874, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate. Notice is therefore hereby given, that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

CHAS. JAS. LEGGATT,
Acting Registrar General.
Land Registry Office, Victoria,
14th September, 1885. se15

Department of

Public Works.

Removal of Dredger Rock, Victoria Harbour, B. C.

SEALED TENDERS addressed to the Dominion Government Agent at Victoria, superscribed as above will be received at this office up to 12 noon of Friday, the 25th September next for the removal of Dredger Rock, Victoria Harbour.

Plan, cross-sections and specification of the work to be done may be seen at this office on and after the 16th inst.

Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted bank cheque or certificate of deposit, payable to the order of the Dominion Government Agent, for the sum of one thousand dollars, which will be forfeited if the tenderer decline to enter into a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fail to complete the work contracted for. If the tender be not accepted the cheque or certificate of deposit will be returned.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

S. FLETCHER,
Acting Secretary.
Office of the Dominion Government Agent, Victoria, B. C., 14th Sept., 1885. se14-1w

Empire Brewery.

HENNING PETERS, late of the Lion Brewery, is now prepared to supply the trade and families with all kinds of

Beer, Ale and Porter.

The Brewery is situated on Spring Ridge, and is built over a well of pure, ever running spring water. This first enables me to manufacture the very finest brands, equal to any imported Ale, Beer and Porter.

The machinery used is of latest pattern, the ingredients are pure water, malt and hops, and a trial is only necessary to convince that the brands are the finest manufactured in the Province.

All orders for city supply, or for shipment to Island or Mainland points will receive prompt attention and a satisfactory article furnished.

HENNING PETERS,
Empire Brewery,
aug19 tf Spring Ridge, Victoria, B. C.

THE LONDON Boot & Shoe Store.

JAS. MAYNARD has opened a new Boot and Shoe store, on Douglas street, opposite the City Hall.

A Large Stock of Fine Boots & Shoes kept on hand. New Boots and Shoes MADE TO ORDER AND REPAIRS NEATLY EXECUTED. Call and inspect.

JAMES MAYNARD
se12-1m

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se9 1m

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Has Removed to his New Premises, Yates street, one door east of Douglas.

PORK SAUSAGES, LARD, Etc.,

ALWAYS ON HAND.

Thanking his many patrons for past favors, he hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the same. sep10 1m

First Class Property for Sale IN Cowichan District,

CONSISTING of Fifty acres of good arable land, about two miles from Cowichan wharf. The land is well adapted for fruit growing, poultry raising, etc.

Fifty acres of first class bottom land easily cleared, and adjoining the above property, can be had at a reasonable price.

To parties in search of a good homestead this is a first class chance.

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Indian Curios

IN GREAT VARIETY

At ISAACS & Co.,

Cor. Johnson St. & Oriental Alley

sep7 1m

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HAVING SOLD OUT MY BUSINESS, I have left on hand and will sell a number of

Farm Wagons,
Express and Freight Wagons,
And One Stage,

Cheaper than they can be built in Victoria. All new and of first-class workmanship.

GILBERT TOMPKINS,
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Has received a fine assortment of

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☞ Charges moderate.
sep16 1m P. CAREY, Proprietor.

Theatre Comique.

PUBLIC notice is hereby given that this place of amusement will be closed until the arrival of a new troupe, which is shortly expected.

T. D. CYRS.
Victoria, August 15, 1885. aug15tf

Oxen for Sale.

TWO good yokes of Oxen for sale at WILLIAM CHISHOLM'S FARM, MAPLE BAY.

Apply to James Fell, Victoria, or on the premises.

WM. CHISHOLM.
aug13 1m Maple Bay.

GREAT BARGAINS! IN FURNITURE.

For the Next 60 Days

I will offer at Cost, for Cash only, my present stock of Furniture, consisting of

Bedroom, Parlor and Dining Room SUITES.

Library and Office Furniture, Chairs, in great variety, Spring, Hair and Woven Wire Mattresses, Etc.,

Previous to removing to my new Factory, now in course of erection; in order to make room for entirely new styles and patterns.

☞ Call early and secure bargains.

J. SEHL,
an29 811 Government street.

B. C. Agricultural Association EXHIBITION OF 1885,

Will be held at the grounds of the Association,

NEW WESTMINSTER

Thursday & Friday, 1st & 2nd Oct.

Captain Irving, Manager of the C. P. N. line of steamers, has kindly consented to carry Exhibitors and Exhibits to and from the Exhibition

AT HALF RATES

From Sept. 30 to Oct. 3, inclusive.

The Superintendent of the C. P. R. has also conceded the same privilege.

W. D. FERRIS,
an22 td Secretary.

Important Notice!

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MESSRS. HAUGHTON & BAIRD respectfully desire to inform the public, and their friends that they have opened the above establishment for the sale of

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